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GERMANS KILL CATHOLIC PRIESTS

Members of the Clergy Exposed to Special Indignities

INSTANCES ARE GIVEN

Churches and Religious Houses Destroyed or Profaned in Almost Every Town and Village

London, Jan 9—At the request of the Belgian legation in London the British press bureau has issued detailed allegations of the maltreatment of Catholic clergy in Belgium and the destruction of their institutions by German troops.

The statement says churches and religious houses were destroyed or profaned in almost every village and in many towns where the German troops passed. In most cases the edifices were utilized as stables and prisons, and, when not placed in safe hiding, the sacred vessels were stolen

The statement declares members of the clergy have been exposed to special indignities at the hands of German soldiers. In the Diocese of Liege, Namur, Malines and Ghent many priests and others connected with the churches were either shot or hanged. Many other priests were carried off to Germany, where they appear to have been "subjected to abominable usage."

An American and a Spanish priest among a group of seventy civilians, were dragged about from place to place all day and molested, insulted and threatened with military execution. They were taken to the church at Campenhout and shut up for the night.

The priest of Deuchen, an invalid eighty seven years old, suffering from disease, was accused by the Germans of having fired on them. He was arrested, hoisted on a cannon tossed into a ditch, tortured and shot.

Witness deposes that he saw the Priest Gelrode brought into Aerschot August 24 with three wounded men. The Germans said he was an English spy and took him to the town hall. The following day they beat him with rifle butts, and then on the Demer Bridge they shot him and cast his body into the river.

The statement concludes with these words:

"Nothing can demonstrate more clearly the tendencies of the Germans in dealing with members of the clerical body than the words of a proclamation posted by the German authorities at Grivegnee September 6, which says, 'When hostages are taken, the priests, burgomasters and members of the communal administration are to be put at the head of the list.' "

DEFER ACTION ON BRIDGE

Structuer Across Potomac at Georgetown Will be Considered Later

After discussing futilely for half an hour the Carlin bill for congressional authorization to build a $1,500,000 bridge across the Potomac River at Georgetown, to replace the antiquated Aqueduct bridge, the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce yesterday deferred action on the measure until later in the present session. The committee attempted to thrash out the proposition of how the construction of the bridge should be financed, and, although some of the members were reluctant to so admit, it was generally conceded that if built at all it must be at government expense.

Representative Carlin, author of the bill, and Representative Montague both of Virginia, spoke in behalf of the proposed structure. They denounced as "absolutely ridiculous" a suggestion made in committee that the government should contribute one fourth to the expense of building the bridge, and that the other three-fourths should be contributed evenly by the District and the State of Virginia, and the common carriers using the bridge.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Ethel Wright, 22 years old, of Red Lion, near York, Pa., died Thursday from the effects caused by a tooth which she had pulled lodging in her right lung. An autopsy performed on the girl's body revealed the presence of the tooth. Nine weeks ago Miss Wright had a number of teeth pulled by a York dentist, and it is said that one of them slipped into her windpipe. She became violently sick and physicians were puzzled as to the nature of her illness.

Canadian government authorities have forwarded to the United States government at Washington formal expressions of regret on the part of the Dominion of Canada for the killing of Walter Smith and the wounding of Charles Dorsch by Canadian militiamen. The Dominion government also has offered to compensate the wounded man and the family of the dead man.

The London Morning Post's Buchrarest correspondent says: "Roumania is mobilizing 750,000 men of which number half million form the field army. Roumania will strike even should Italy decide not to enter the war."

No part of the millions of the late Eugene Zimmerman will fall into the hands of his son-in-law, the Duke of Manchester, if the provisions of the financier's will are carried out. Reports to this effect were verified in Cincinnati yesterday when counsel for the Duchess of Manchester and the Zimmerman estate admitted that when the will is filed next week the duke will be out in the cold .Hard upon this revelation come reports that the duke and duchess have been estranged for some time.

Virginia Senators notified Secretary Daniels yesterday that they would insist upon execution of the law requiring the assembling of the international fleet in Hampton Roads next month, preparatory to the cruise through the Panama Canal to the Pacific coast. One proposal was to have their ships join the American fleet at Guantanamo or Colon instead of making the long trip up the Atlantic. The Virginia Senators objected to that.

A revolution has broken out in Paraguay, the State Department was informed yesterday afternoon. The President has been placed in captivity. In street fighting at Asuncion the capital more than 75 persons were killed or wounded.

DEATH OF MRS. LEE

Well-Known Virginia Lady Passes Away At Her Home in Stafford

(Special Dispatch to the Gazette)

Richmond, Jan 9—Mrs. Nora B. Lee, wife of Maj. Jno. M. Lee, died at her home, "Westwood," Stafford county, this morning of pneumonia, aged 76. She was the sister-in-law of Capt. D. M. Lee, of Fredericksburg, and the late General Fitzhugh Lee.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITY.

Judge J. B. T. Thornton, Presiding.

A final decree was entered today in the case of Rose E. Buenaventure vs. Vincent Buenaventure, granting a divorce to the plaintiff from the defendant on the ground of desertion.

W. H. Underwood qualified as administrator of the estate of the late John Underwood.

Miss Blanch Stansbury left today for Fredericksburg, where she will visit friends.

Mrs. George B. Potter, of Harrington, Del., who has been the guest of Mrs. D. R. Stansbury, left today for her home.

The United States District Court was engaged today in the trial of the case of R. J. Kennedy vs. Arthur Cowsin. The plaintiff is suing for an alleged balance in the contract for constructing the wireless station at Arlington.

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MAKE SPEECHES ON TAXATION

Leaders of Rival Plans Address House Committee on Finance

ERROR IN THE TABLES

Former Auditor S. R. Donohoe Repudiates Calculations of Employed Expert Accountant

Richmond, Jan., 9—The element of the unexpected entered yesterday into the proceedings of the Finance Committee of the House of Delegates, electrifying the hitherto prosaic consideration of proposed tax measures.

A series of enlivening incidents mared the discusion of the report of the Tax Commission. They appeared in this order:

1. The Finance Committee was invited by Delegate R. T. Gregory to show its hand and let the public know the sentiment of the members the identity of those favorable to the commission plan of taxation and those who prefer the segregation system. Mr. Gregory explained that his object was merely to faciliate business by determining definitely upon what lines the discussion was further to progress.

2. Delegate I. E. Spatig called for an executive session, and was voted down, but later renewed his appeal, and the committee went into conference behind closed doors.

3. The tabulated statement carried in the Tax Commission's report purporting to show the effect of the proposed segregation plan upon local revenues which statement was prepared by a professional statistician, A. E. James, of Wisconsin, was shown to the satisfaction of many of the members of the committe to be inaccurate, and consequenly unreliable.

4 The statistical table was republished by Captain S. R. Donohoe, former State Auditor and member of the Tax Commission, who referred to the expert as "a supposed statistician.

Other interesting events of the day were the appearance of former Governor William Hodges Mann before the committee, advocating a scheme of partial segregation; the arrival of Mr. Donohoe and Dr. Thomas Walker Page, who came to Richmond by special invitation of the Finance Committe to be quizzed on features of the report and the announcement of Delegate James H. C. Grasty that Governor Stuart had communicated to him and to others interesting suggestions which inspired him to ask for a conference immediately between the committee and the Governor.

The major part of the morning session of the committee was devoted to hearing from Judge Mann.

WOMEN ROBBED.

Mrs. Malinda Preston, a nurse, came from Baltimore yesterday and while en route to the home of her mother at Seminary Hill, was robbed at the corner of Cameron and West streets by a colored man who grabbed her hand bag containing $68 in cash.

Miss Mary Pettit, a young woman, who is empolyed in Washington, was knocked down by a man on Thursday night while returning home on south Washington street and robbed of her pocketbook containing $9 and her monthly electric railway ticket.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of the late GEORGE GORDON ASHER, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make prompt settlement. All persons to whom the estate may be indebted are requested to present their claims properly authenticated at once.

NATHALIE M. ASHER
9 10d Administratrix

Norfolk Oysters in All Styles at the Rammel.

AT THE CHURCHES.

At the First Baptist Church tomorrow, the Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. on "The Stranger at the Door," and at 7:45 p. m. on "Christ Died to Save Sinners."

A cottage prayer meeting will be held at 807 Oronoco street Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock under the auspices of the Second Baptist Church. It will be conducted by H. E. Webb, Sr. All are welcome.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. at the Second Presbyterian Church by the pastor, Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison. Evening subject, evangelistic.

The men's meeting tomorrow afternoon will be addressed by George A. Prevost, of Washington. Mr. Prevost is a strong speaker, and a large attendance is expected.

Mr. William B. Lee, Jr., of the Seminary, will preach in Christ Church tomorrow morning at 7:30.

Rev. W. J. Morton will preach and administer Holy Communion at Immanuel Chapel at Braddock Heights tomorrow evening at 7:30.

St. Mary's Church.

First mass at 7 a. m., children's mass 9, Sunday School 9:30, late mass and sermon 10:30, baptisms, 3:30, evening services and benediction 4 o'clock p. m. Mass every Sunday morning St. Rita's Chapel, 9 o'clock at Mount Ida. Mass week mornings 6:30 and 7 o'clock.

Christ Church.

Rev. William J. Morton, rector. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m and 7:30 p. m.

Grace Church.

Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy Communion 7:30 a. m. Sunday School, 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon 11:00. Evening prayer and sermon 7:30 p. m.

St. Paul's Church.

Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Lutheran Church.

Rev. C. F. Brandt, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Second Presbyterian Church.

Rev. J. L. Allison, D. D., pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Services, 11 a. m and 7:30 p. m. Bible Class for men 9:45 a. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church South

Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Epworth Lea, gue services at 6:45 p. m. Services and sermon 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Protestant Church.

Rev. C. R. Strausburg, pastor Services at 11:00 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. G. A. Luttrell, pastor. Sabbath School, 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m., and 8:00 p. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor. Sunday school at 9.30 a m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Second Baptist Church.

Rev. O. W. Triplett, pastor—Services at 10 a. m. 11 a. m. and 7.45 p m. Sunday school 9.30 a. m. Prayer services Wednesday evenings at 7.45 o'clock.

Free Methodist Church—Rev. Geo Eakins, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer service at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday.

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FRENCH CONTINUE TO CLAIM GAINS

Fiercely-Contested Fights Result in No Advantage to Either

CAPTURE MAIN ROADS

Three District Movements in Alsace Designed to Force Germans to Withdraw to Line of Forts.

Paris, Jan. 9—Additional gains in the fighting around Soissons, where the entire first and part of the second and third lines of trenches are held by the allies and alternate gains and losses in Alsace are reported today. In Alsace the fighting is so fiercely contested that the advantage lies first with one side and then with the other, but the latest reports indicate the French are slowly getting possession of the main roads on the east side of the Vosges. While details are witheld, it is understood three distinct movements are in operation in Alsace the success of any one of which would force the German to withdraw to their main line of forts.

The gain at Soissons is declared here to be particularly significant, as indicating that the allies have at last found the long sought for weak spot in the German line.

It is expected that the French offensive will be vigorously prosecuted in an endeavor to force a wedge into the German line thus forcing their withdrawal farther to the north.

LAWYERS' BANQUET TODAY.

Members of Bar Association Meet and Elect Officers

The annual meeting of the Bar Association of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit met today at 11 o'clock at the Elks' Auditorium. In the absence of the president, John M. Johnson, Charles T. Jesse, of Alexandria Co., Third Vice president, presided. The following officers were elected:

John S. Barbour, Fairfax County, president.

Harry B. Caton, Alexandria, 1st. vice president.

Senator R. E. Thornton, Fairfax County, 2nd vice president.

R. A. Hutchison, Manassas, 3rd vice president.

Claude O. Thomas, Alexandria county, 4th vice president.

George Washington Lewis, Alexandria, secretary.

H. Noel Garner, Alexandria, treasurer.

C. A. Sinclair, Manassas; E. B. Taylor, Alexandria; W. M. Farr, Fairfax County, and R. Gordon Finney, Alexandria County, members of the executive committee.

Judge J. B. T. Thornton extended an invitation for the association to hold its next meting at his residence in Manassas and it was accepted.

The banquet at the Hotel Rammel followed the meeting. J. Randall Caton was the toastmaster.

The following guests were present: Judge J. B. T. Thornton, Senator R. Ewell Thornton, John S. Barbour, Robinson Moncure, James R. Caton, Judge C. E. Nicol, Howard W. Smith, R. Gordon Finney, Jr., J. Randall Caton, Harry B. Caton, R. C. L. Moncure, C. A. Sinclair, R. E. Hutchison, Walter U. Varney, H. Noel Garner, C. I. Simms, Crandall Mackey, W. C. Gloth, George H. Rucker, William H. Gaines, William R. Ellyson, Harvey Davies, Robert H. Cox, W. B. Settle, Claude O. Thomas, C. T. Jessie, R. R. Farr, James F. Peyton M. T. Dwyer Robert S. Barrett, R. D. Brumback, Gardner L. Boothe, Walter C. Foster, G. Washington Lewis, E. B. Tayor, Aylett B. Nicol, R. B. Washington, Frank Lyon, Leo P. Harlow, Louis N. Duffey, C. F. R. Ogilby, J. D. Sullivan and L. C. Williamson.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

Go with Martha Washington Chapter, O. E. S., to Poli's Theater, Monday next, January 11th and see a performance of "The Argyle Case," a detective story by William J. Burns. Tickets at Gibson's and Edgar Warfield's drug stores, at popular prices; reserved without extra charge.

W. E. Lee, recently of Charlotte, N. C., has assumed the duties of superintendent of the Virginia-Carolina fertilizer plant in this city, succeeding D. Moxley Low, who has been transferred to Delaware.

The alarm of fire about nine o'clock last night was caused by burning rags against a house in the vicinity of Fairfax and Gibbon streets. The fire had been extinguished before the arrival of the department.

Mrs. Nathalie Boush Asher has qualified as administratrix of the estate of her husband, George Gordon Asher, in the Corporation Court.

Governor Henry Stuart has reappointed J. Johnston Green a notary public for the city of Alexandria.

The officers of Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows were installed last night by District Deputy Thomas Hillier, of Falls Church, who was accompanied to this city by a delegation of members of the Falls Church Lodge.

The Circuit Court, Judge J. B. T. Thornton presiding, opened this morning and adjourned for the term.

ESTABLISHES PRECEDENT

Senate Passes Resolution of Regret at Death of Mrs Martin

By adopting a resolution expressing sincere regret over the death of Mrs. Thomas S. Martin, wife of the senior senator from Virginia, who is one of the veterans of the Senate and former Democratic leader in that body, mentioning her by name, the United States Senate yesterday established a precedent. Never before has the Senate adopted such a resolution in the case of a senator's wife who had died.

Senator Gallinger, floor leader of the Republican side, offered the resolution, saying he did so at the solicitation of many senators on both sides of the chamber.

Unanimous consent was granted for the immediate consideration of the resolution, which was unanimously adopted as follows:

"Resolved, That the Senate has heard with much sorrow of the death of Mrs. Thomas S. Martin, wife of our friend and associate, the senior senator from Virginia, to whom the Senate extends exprssions of sincere and heartfelt sympathy."

"This resolution is somewhat unusual," said Senator Gallinger in its support, "but to my mind notice might well be taken of the loss of a wife of a Senator who has served so long and with such distinction as has the senior senator from Virginia. It was my privilege to have known this beautiful woman, to whom my associate has been devoted through her lifetime, and particularly through the year as I am concerned; to extend to him the expression of sympathy on my behalf and I feel sure that the Senate will join me in sending to him this message in the hope that it may be of some comfort to him in his hours of great sorrow."

No other speeches were made, no other proceedings taken and the resolution was approved immediately.

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 9.—The funeral of Mrs. Lucy Chambliss Martin, wife of Senator Thomas S. Martin, took place at 11 o'clock this morning from the Martin home, on the Ivy road, just west of the University of Virginia. The servics were conducted by the Rev. Beverly D. Tucker, Jr., rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Interment was in the University Cemetery.

The following acted as pallbearers: Senator Claude A. Swanson, Representatives H. D. Flood, Charles C. Carlin, and James Hay; Joseph Button, of Appomattox, and George R. B. Michie, of Charlottesville. Two of these, Messrs. Flood and Button, were ushers at the marriage of Senator and Mrs. Martin.

AVIATORS RENEW THEIR ACTIVITY

Germans Cause Considerable Damage on Western Battle Front

BOMBARDING DEPOTS

British Airmen, in Armored Biplanes and With Rapid-Fire Guns, Start in Pursuit of Teutons

Berlin, Jan 9—German aviators have renewed their activities along the entire western battle line and already have caused much damage to the enemy.

Half a dozen air craft have successfully bombarded the military depots in Strazeele and Hazebrouck, dropping bombs on them and setting them on fire. Just as their work was completed a detachment of British aviators, on armored biplanes mounting rapid fire guns, went in pursuit. The outcome is not known here yet.

German airmen also successfully dropped bombs on the railway station at Armentieres, setting it on fire It is reported that many soldiers were killed there.

Three aviators also bombarded Fort Bossboar, at Verdun, but the result is unknown.

German aviators are also very active in Alsace, where their observations have enabled the German commander to frustrate organized French attempts to take strategic positions by surprise.

WILSON'S HAT IN THE RING.

May be a Candidate to Succeed Himself in 1916.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 9.—President Wilson shied his hat into the ring for 1916 yesterday. He flung down the gauntlet to his enemies and made a vigorous defense of his policies in his long-awaited address before the Indiana Democratic Club in the Hoosier metropolis.

He declared the people of the nation probably would be given an opportunity to show whether they believed his administration a success or not. His audience took up his words, and long cheers, ending in "1916," which echoed through the hall, gave prolonged approval to his challenge.

President Wilson announced himself as in favor of a national employment bureau for the first time in his political career; he staunchly defended his policy of "watchful waiting" in Mexico; he held the Republican party up to scorn as an organization which had not had a "new idea in thirty years," and declared that the courts of the nation must adopt speeder methods of administering justice in the near future.

He called upon the people of the United States to cast their gaze upon the European war if they would be satisfied with life in a free and peaceful republic.

"I love the Democratic party, but love the country more," he said.

HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY.

Officers Elected At Annual Meeting Last Night.

At the annual meeting of the Relief Hook and Ladder Company held last night, the following officers were elected:

John H. Trimyer, president.

James W. Bales, first vice president.

Gettys M. Myers, second vice-president.

E. C. Wildt, captain.

Richard Mumford, first lieutenant.

Henry Beach, second lieutenant.

J. T. Waddy, secretary.

W. C. H. Wildt, recorder.

John D. Normoyle, treasurer.

Membership Committee: Charles Clarkson, Joseph De Silva, Louis Folmar, R. F. Downham, and James Tennesson.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

A very attractive and entertaining birthday dinner party was given Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lazenard, at their home in south Columbus street. The house throughout was tastefully and beautifully decorated with red carnations and softly shaded lights. The out-of-town guests were Miss Helen Louise Rawlings, Messrs. Benjamin Rawlings, W. C. Hudson, E. C. Sasser, G. R. Buddins, of Washington, D. C., while others were Rev. William J. Morton, Dr. C. T. Lindsey, Captain W. B. Smithers, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Slaymaker, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mayer, Messrs. E. Fuller, S. R. Kelley, J. R. Keith, Wallace Fawcett, and Master Francis Mayer.

The January meeting of Trinity Auxiliary, W. H. M. S. was held at the home of the President, Mrs. J. B. Fitzgerald, Thursday afternoon. The secretaries report showed great progress in the work. A letter from the New Orleans Mission acknowledging the receipt of a Christmas box was read. Mrs. William Schwarzmann, Mrs. Guy Luttrell, Mrs. Addie Cram, Mrs. Rourk, and Mrs. George Schwarzmann, assisted Mrs. Fitzgerald in serving refreshments.

The date of the dances of the Alexandria Assembly for the months of January and February are as follows: Friday, January 15th, Friday, January 29th and Friday, February 12th.

The last two Germans of the Alexandria German Club will be given on January 22nd and April 9th. It is probable that a ladies' German will be given in February.

DENIAL FROM MACHEN.

Richmond, Jan. 9.—Lewis H. Machen, head of the State Legislative Reference Bureau, yesterday denied absolutely that he had participated in any political conference in Washington between himself, Congressman Jones and Glass and Attorney General Pollard. Mr. Machen said that he did not see Mr. Jones, and if any political conference was held he is unaware of it.

GRIFFITH GUEST OF HONOR.

Manager of Washington Baseball Team Given Oyster Roast Last Night

Manager Clark Griffith of the Washington baseball team was the guest of honor at an oyster roast given at the plant of the Old Dominion Glass Company by Mayor Thomas A. Fisher who is an ardent admirer of the "climbers" manager.

The guests were conveyed to the plant in automobiles and shown the workings of the factory in detail. The oyster roast was served in the offices of the company. Charles A. Cotterill, of Washington, was the toastmaster.

The Mayor's guests were Clark Griffith, Charles A. Cotterill, Edgar C. Snyder, Harry Chesley, Harry Ward, J. K. Jones, J. Ed. Grillo, C. T. Richardson, Charles A. Hamilton, Delancey Gill, Phelan Hawn, Paul Frame, Robert Callahan, Patrick Bresnahan, Frank B. Conger, James M. Little, Walter Bergevin, Thomas Monk and George Summers, of Washington, and Alderman J. M. Hill, Lorenzo Wolford, Robert S. Barrett, J. U. Schwarzmann, L. A. Davis, J. W. Bales, Ervin Schwarzmann, John A. Ewald, Berton D. Bentley, James F. Peyton, Courtney Acton and M. T. Dwyer, of this city.

NOTICE JR. O. U. A. M.

The officers and members of James W. Jackson Council, No. 55, J. U. A. M., are requested to meet at the corner of St. Asaph and Princess streets on Saturday, January 9th, at 2:30 P. M. for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother, Joseph E. Martin. Members of Belle Haven Council No. 61, also invited.

S. A. Forrest, Recording Secretary.

NOTICE.

The members of Alexandria Council No. 5, Order Fraternal Americans, are requested to assemble at their hall (Sarepta Building), Sunday afternoon, January 10, 1915, at 1:30 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother, Cassie W. Thomas, which will take place from Wheatley's Chapel at 2:00 P. M.

By Order of the President.
JAMES R. MANSFIELD, Rec. Secy.

NEW PLANT FOR CITY

Automobile Shaft and Coupling Company Will Locate at Wilkes Royal Streets.

Alexandria is to have a new manufacturing plant which will give employment to about twenty skilled workmen at the start. The Automatic Shaft Coupling Co., whose main offices are in Baltimore with a branch in Washington, has decided to locate their manufacturing plant in this city.

They have leased the machine shop and a portion of the building of the Alexandria Iron Works at the corner of Royal and Wilkes street.

A considerable portion of the machinery for the plant has already arrived and is now being installed. The balance is now en route to this city and as soon as it arrives the operations of the company will be commenced.

THREE HOUSES BURN.

Blaze Said to Have Been Caused by Children Playing With Matches.

About half past one o'clock this afternoon fire was discovered in a frame house on the south side of Wythe street, between Henry and Fayette. The fire department soon responded to the alarm, and a stiff northwest wind prevailing at the time, caused some anxiety in the vicinity, as it was feared other wooden structures were in danger.

The firemen went to work immediately but before they succeeded in checking the flames two other houses adjoining had taken fire. The houses were practically destroyed. Two were occupied by colored people.

It is said in the neighborhood that the fire was started by children who had been playing with matches.

Mrs. Ellis Logan, of 1253 Irving street, Washington, resident of the District of Columbia Federation of Women Clubs, [illegible] an invitation to the members of the Cameron Club at an informal "at home" Monday from 3 to 6 o'clock.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Dulin and Martin company will be held at the offices of said company, rooms 1 and 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday January 19th, 1915 at 2:30 o'clock p. m. for the election of directors and for the transaction of such business as may legally come before said meeting.

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WEDNESDAY

Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw and Wm. Russell Thaw in the 5 part feature

Threads of Destiny

FRIDAY

The Mystery of the Throne Room

Grace Cunard and Francis Ford in Lucille Love, now a widow meet the International Spy on European soil.

END OF WEEK OF PRAYER

Rev. W. J. Morton, Rector of Christ Church, Delivers Address in First Baptist Church

The last service in the week of prayer was held in the First Baptist Church last evening and there was a large attendance.

The theme was "World Peace," and Rev. Dr. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ P. E. Church, was the speaker. He based his remarks on the scripture lesson in Isaiah 2. He said war was the greatest obstacle in a world peace. The speaker stated in a clear and convincing way that war is barbarism it disregards the principles and laws of humanity and laws of Christ. He stated that out of the present war in Europe conditions would emerge to challenge the congregation and service of nation in the way of a world evangelization. War then should be discouraged that men and nations may live as Jesus would have them live and realize the song of the heavenly host, peace on earth, good will among men.

COURT OF APPEALS

Richmond, Jan 9—The following cases were argued in the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday

No. 26—Bayley et als. vs. Curlette et als. Argued by J. A. C. Keith for appellants, and by John S. Barbour for appellees and submitted

No 27—Washington and Old Dominion Railway Co. vs. Carter. Argued by C. E. Nicol, and Wilton J. Lambert, for appellant and by M. Candlish and John S. Barbour, for appellee, and submitted.

No. 28—Blackstone Manufacturing Company vs. Allen. Partly argued and continued until Monday next.

Next cases to be called:

No 29— Saunders vs Southern Railway Company.

No 30— Riverside and Dan River Cotton Mills vs Waugh.

No 31— Tartt et. als. vs. Avery et als.

No 32— Security Life Insurance Company vs. Dillard.

DEATH OF J. V. EDWARDS

Joseph V. Edwards, aged 55 years died at the home of his son-in-law E. L. Naylor, 507 N. Patrick St., yesterday of pneumonia, He is survived by a widow and three children, Mrs. E. L. Naylor, Mrs. W. W. Lowe, and F. M. Edwards. The funeral will take place Sunday 3:30 p. m. at his late residence. Interment in Bethel Cemetery.

DAUGHTERS OF REVOLUTION.

Delegates to Continental Congress of Organization Selected.

The January meeting of Mt. Vernon Chapter, D. A. R., was held at the residence of the Regent, Mrs. W. J. Morton, on Washington street, yesterday afternoon. The following were elected to represent the chapter at the coming continental congress of the society, to be held in Washington in April. Mrs. W. J. Morton, Mrs. William A. Smoot, delegates.

Miss Caroline Stribling, Mrs. J. H. Foster, Mrs. T. W. Robinson, Mrs. J. Stewart Jamieson, Mrs. Eleanor S. W. Howard, Mrs. R. C. Powell, Mrs. Robert Reese, Mrs. Samuel L. Monroe, Mrs. George Uhler, Miss Nannie Norton, alternates.

To the members of Alva Aerie No. 871 Fraternal Order of Eagles.

You are called to assemble at the Eagles Home on Sunday, January 10, at 1:30 p. m. to attend the funeral our late brother, C. W. Thomas.

Respectfully.
J. H. West,
Worthy Secretary.

NOTICE.

The members of Osceola Tribe No. 1, I. O. R. M., are requested to attend the funeral of our late Brother, Jos. Martin, from the residence, 606 Princess street, Saturday, at 3:30 P. M.

By Order of Sachem.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Iowa Apartment House Company for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 12th, 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.

The Corporation Court, with Judge L. C. Barley presiding, will commence its January term on Monday at 10 o'clock.

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WILSON MAY RUN AGAIN

The speech of President Wilson at Indianapolis yesterday created the greatest enthusiasm among his audience of four thousand persons who enjoyed the privilege of listening to it, as well as among the millions of Americans who read it today. It abounded in truths which cannot be gainsaid nor resisted. Among other things he said:

There may come a time when the American people will have to judge whether I know what I am talking about or not.

If I were not ready to fight for everything I believe in, I would think it my duty to go and take a back seat.

There is not a single great act of the present great Congress which has not been carried out in obedience to the public opinion of America.

The trouble with the Republican party is that it has not had a new idea for 30 years.

The Republican party is still a coyert and refuge for those who want to consult their grandfathers about everything.

I want to ask the business men if this is not the first January in their recollection that did not bring a money stringency for the time being, because of the paying out of great sums of money by way of dividends.

Half the world is on fire. Only America among the great powers is free to govern her own life; and all the world is looking to America to serve its economic need.

The Republican tariff has been a science of selfishness.

The country of the Mexicans is theirs, and the liberty, if they can get it, is theirs; and so far as my influence goes while I am President nobody shall interfere with it.

May we not look forward to the time when we shall be called blessed among nations—the servant of mankinds?

MANY SEEK MADAME THEBES.

We read that when there was no prophet in the land, and the Lord refused to answer King Saul by Urim and Thumim, that he sought a witch at En-Dor, and that, to the great consternation of the Jewish king and the seeress, the prophet Samuel, who had been dead some time, appeared and told Saul he would die on the morrow in the battle with the enemies of Israel.

In the twentieth century thousands of officers and soldiers are visiting a woman in Paris, known as Madame Thebes, who professes to tell them what will be their fate in the war now in progress between Germany the allies. Some urge her to tell them the truth, and they are as much startled as was Saul of old when they are told they will fall in the clash of war, and emerge from the woman's house with blanched countenances.

Madame Thebes has for many years been drawing horoscopes of coming events on this terrestrial sphere, some of which have approximately come to pass. Others, however, remain to be fulfilled, such, for instance, as the decided defeat of the Kaiser and his millions.

It seems strange in this advanced age that so many people express faith in clairvoyants and others who pretend to read future events in the stars and by lines on the human hand. The augurs of old thought earthly and individual history was told by the flights of birds or by the entrails of the feathery creation. It was Cato who once said he did not understand why one augur could look the other in the face without laughing. The same observation may be made now of certain ones who pretend to see into the future. We are told that a veil, made by the hand of mercy, screens the future. It is a blessing that it does.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Mock Trial Presented Last Night at Young People's Building Under Auspices of Literary Society.

A mock trial was given last night at the Young People's Building by the A. H. S. Literary Society, the affair proving a great success. The hall was packed, and the whole case was handled very carefully. A supposed woman, impersonated by a high school girl, was indicted on a charge of murder of her husband, and witnesses were introduced by both sides of the case, who brought forth evidence that when finally weighed by the jury, convinced the latter that the woman was not guilty. The judge presiding was Mr. M. N. Fisher, the clerk of the court, Robert Hancock, and the sheriff, James Duncan, Jr. The part of the woman facing the murder charge was taken by Miss Anna Haslett who bore up well against the "terrible ordeal." Attorneys for the prosecution were Messrs. Ashby Braden, Elwyn Brawner, and Thomas Wattles, and those for the defense, John Leadbeater, Tupper Barrett, and Waller Barrett. Those taking the part of witnesses with the respective character they represented were: For the prosecution—Miss Ruth Le Hew, as the woman's maid, Marye Levan; Hirst Hayes, as Doctor John Black; Hugh Williams, as the Rev. William Smith, former employer of the maid; Herbert Byrne, as an attorney; Con Mullins as Mr. William Wirt, friend of the murdered man. For the defense—Francis Nugent, as the warden of the Occoquan Penitentiary; William Duncan, as Julius Eckenstein, a pawnbroker; Miss Anna Haslett, defendant; Gus Pohl, as Policeman, John Rolfe, and Miss Marion Dickert, as Mrs. Richard King, former employer of the maid. The jury bringing in the verdict of not guilty was composed of the following: Messrs. Conrad Johnsen, foreman; S. G. Banton, Carl Appich, Wesley Bitzer, John Wenzel, John Reardon, Bruce Morton, Roland Gaines, William Schafer, Clyde Smith, Edward Duncan, and Clayton Bowman.

The A. H. S. basketball quint was defeated yesterday at the Armory Hall by the Fairmont Athletic Club of Washington, the score being 22 to 6. The High School played with its regular line up. Before and after the game and during the halves, skating was in progress, 15 cents being the admission to both skating at the rink and also to seeing the High School basketball game.

The next meeting of the A. H. S. Literary Society is scheduled for next Saturday night at 7:45. Beginning with this meeting there will be five declamations instead of three rendered. The declaimers announced for the next meeting are Leo Pohl and Misses Lorine Rishell, Hilda Schneider, Louise Schwarzman, and Lucy Reardon. The subject for debate is "Resolved, that the Bible should be taught in high schools as part of the English course." Affirmative, Miss Gertrude McDermott and Gus Pohl; negative, Miss Mary Nalls and William Morton.

The regular meeting of the Girls' Athletic Association was held Wednesday afternoon.

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At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Court house of said City on Thursday, December 24th, 1914 Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Arthur Delaney
vs In Chancery.
Lottie Swan Delaney.

An affidavit having been duly made as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that she cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the Sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non resident of his baliwick, and application having been duly made in Open Court for an order of publication against the defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years, prior to the institution of this suit and an order of pubicaion having been duly granted in open court, is is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful desertion and desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and to do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be pubished once a week for four sucessive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City Va, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, towit: Bladensburg Road, Washington, D. C. as stated in the application for his order of publication which shall be certified by the Clerk of this Court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court house of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

A copy, Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY Clerk
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria on the 1st day of January 1915.

Harriett Etta Beander
vs IN CHANCERY
Rachel Jeannette Beander, widow of Philip Henry Beander, deceased, Edward Francis Beander, and Beander, his wife, Edna O. Jenkins, and Alexander Jenkins, her husband and Francis Augustine Beander, an infant under the age of fourteen years.

MEMO. The object of this suit is to have partition of the real estate and personal property of which Philip Henry Beander deceased, died seized and possessed or entitled to, amongst the heirs of the said Philip Henry Beander, or to have a sale thereof and the proceeds of the said sale distributed amongst those entitled to the same, and for a settlement of the estate of he said Philip Henry Beander, deceased.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants Edward Francis Beander and Beander his wife are non residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.
H. Noel Garner, P. Q. 2-w 4w

Norfolk Oysters Daily at the Hotel Rammel cafe.

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 17th day of November, 1914.

J. Johnston Green, William McArthur Green, Kate Muir Williams and Fannie Lee Kemper heirs at law of John W. Green, deceased.
vs. In Chancery.
The unknown heirs of Asa Hill, and the unknown heirs of William Hodgson,

MEMO:

The object of this suit is to remove a cloud from the title to all that square of ground in the city of Alexandria, bounded by Columbus, Alfred, Pendleton and Wythe Streets, and to secure a decree declaring the legal title in the premises to be in the plaintiffs, and further declaring all right or title of the defendants to be barred by laches, lapse of time, and adverse possession; and further to enjoin the defendants and all persons claiming under them from ever asserting any right, title or interest in and to the estate; and for such other further and general relief as may be necessary properly to protect the legal title of the plaintiffs in and to the said premises.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants the heirs of Asa Hill and the heirs of William Hodgson parties defendant in this cause, are unknown: It is ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court-House of this city.

A copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
J. R. and H. B. CATON, P. Q.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:17 a. m., 12:16, 3:22 5:17 (local) 9:47, p. m. daily.
Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a m., daily except Saturday, when train leaves 2:18 p.m. This train runs through to Milford except Saturdays and Sundays.
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By virtue of a deed of Trust made by Maragret P. Torbert and her husband bearing date on the 25th day of May, 1912, and duly of record in the Land Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book No. 62, page 109, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the loans secured by said Deed of Trust in accordance with its terms, the undersigned Trustees therein named will offer for sale, at public auction, on Saturday, the 23rd day of January, 1915, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building in the said city of Alexandria, the following descrined property, to-wit:-

All that lot of ground with the improvements thereon in the said city of Alexandria, and bounded as follows, to-wit:-

Beginning on the south side of Queen street, sixty-one (61) feet west of the southwest intersection of St. Asaph and Queen Streets, and running theuce southerly seventy two (72) feet, more or less to the property of William W West; thence westerly thirty two (32) feet; thence northerly seventy two (72) feet, more or less, to Queen street; and thence east on Queen street thirty two (32) feet to the beginning with all apputenanes; being the same lot of ground conveyed to the said Maragaret P. Torbert by a deed duly of record in the land records of the said City of Alexandria in Deed Book No. 61, page 255.

Terms of sale: CASH. Cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE
P. M. BRADSHAW,
Trustees.

At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Court house of said City on Tuesday, December 22nd, 1914.

Annie M. Holcer, Complainant,
vs IN CHAUNCERY.
Harry P. Holcer, Defendant

An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is a non resident of the State of Virginia, upon the application of the Complainant in writing, stating specifically the last known address of the defendant, the Court of this 22nd day of December, 1914, doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit it to obtain for the Complainant a divorce from the bond of matrimony from the defendant on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for a period of more than three years before the bringing of this suit, and for the custody of the minor children of the parties, and for general relief, and it is ordered that the defendant do appear withing fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse in the said City on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order, and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court, addressed to the said defendant Harry P. Holcer at Jersey City, New Jersey, his last known place of address.

A copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
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Charles Bendheim, P. Q.

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THE ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK.
Alexandria, Virginia.
December 12. 1914.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders will be held at the Banking House on Tuesday, January 12, 1915, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the election of directors, and such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

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NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chesapeake Blaugas Corporation will be held at Rooms 1 and 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Thursday, January 21, 1915, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

HORACE H. WESTCOTT, Secretary
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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Elite Laundry Company of Washington, D. C., Incorporated, will be held at the principal office of the Company, No. 111 S. Fairfax xt., Alexandria, Virginia at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, January 20, 1915, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

GEORGE A. KLEINFELTER,
President.

Stockholders' Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the District of Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company will be held at the principal office of the Company 111 S. Fairfax St., Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday, January 18th, 1915, between the hours of 12 M and 1 P. M., for the election of directors and such other business as may properly be presented to the meeting.

A. B. TOLSON
Secretary.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Columbia Granite and Dredging Corporation will be held at Rooms 1 and 2 Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Thursday, January 21, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

G. A. BONNET, Secretary.
Jan. 2nd. 1 a. w. -3wk.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the McLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 123 South Royal Street, Alexandria, Va. January 12th 1915, at 11 o'clock A. M.

A. M. McLACHLEN, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ontario Apartment House Company for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 128 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 12th 1915, at 10:30 A. M.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Building Company for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year will be held at the Company's office 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on Thursday, the 21st, instant, at 11 o'clock A. M.

M. M. PARKER, President.
LOUIS BEYER, JR., Secretary.
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ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Iris Realty Company, Inc., will be held at the Hotel Rammel, 126 north Royal street, on Thursday, January 21st, 1915, at 8 P. M., for the election of officers and directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

ALBERT WHITWORTH, Secretary.
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NOTICE.

Annual meeting of the members of the German Co-Operativ Building Association No. 5, all Series will be held Thursday, January 14th, 1915, at 7:30 p. m. at their office, 612 King Street.

JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secretary.
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NOTICE.

The forty-sixth annual meeting of the Independent Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Fairfax County, Va., will be held at the Company's office on Monday January 11th 1915 at ten o'clock A. M.

WALTER ROBERTS, President.

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Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:47 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C & O. No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M. —Daily— Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

8:37 A. M. Daily— U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop First class coaches Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

10:32 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, and Greensboro. Sleeping car from Greensboro to Atlanta.

3:52 P. M. Daily— local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham, Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham, Dining car service Tourist to California daily.

4:12 P. M. —Limited for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

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RUNNING DUEL IN AUTOS

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Pittsburgh, Jan. 9.—At the end of a pistol battle in which the contestants covered two miles or more of East End streets in automobiles, J. Brosky was shot in the head and perhaps fatally wounded and Captain J. D. Dickson, of the State Highway Department, was injured slightly.

The chase started when Brosky attempted to commandeer a taxicab at the point of a revolver. The chauffeur leaped from the machine and summoned two policemen. Brosky left the taxicab and sprang into Captain Dickson's machine, which was passing.

A revolver duel betwen Brosky and the policemen in the taxicab ensued. After passing over the boulevards and streets for two miles, Dickson managed to hit Brosky and throw him from the automobile. As Brosky fell a bullet from a policeman's revolver struck him in the head.

Brosky, the police say, answers the description of the man who shot Policeman Snyder, and is believed to have started a fire which destroyed a block of buildings in Wilkinsburg a suburb, yesterday morning. He is a college graduate and former professional baseball player.

$50,000 FIRE IN LEXINGTON.

Lexington, Va., Jan. 9.—A $50,000 fire broke out yesterday morning at 5 o'clock at the corner of Nelson and Jefferson streets. The fire raged for three hours until put out by heroic efforts of the Lexington volunteer fire company. A large three-story brick building belonging to A. L. Koons was entirely destroyed, together with the furniture stock of Harrison and Hutton, valued at $10,0000. Old Franklin Hall is in ruins a frame building is wrecked and other adjoining buildings are damaged.

The Farmers Deposit and Savings Bank, furniture and fixtures in the same building, was destroyed. R. S. Anderson's china store is considerably damaged as also were J. M. Quisenberry's store and plumbing shop. Davidson Brothers, H. A. Deaver and Company grocers, and the Robertson Supply Company, selling farming implements, were also damaged. Calls were made for Staunton and Buena Vista fire companies but local firemen finally checked the fire. The origin of the fire is unknown. The damage is partly covered by insurance.

The Secolo of Milan asserts that Count Leopold von Berchtold, Austrian minister of foreign affairs, has sent a note to Italy protesting against the Italian occupation of Avlone, Albania. Baron Sidney Sonnino, Italian minister of foreign affairs, has sent a firm reply, adds the paper.

FEAR ATTEMPT AT LYNCHING.

Negro Arrested on Assault Charge Taken to Petersburg.

Petersburg Va., Jan. 9.—A negro said to be Herbert Capal was brought here yesterday in an automobile by two officers from Sussex county and committed to jail for safekeeping.

He is charged with making a brutal assault on Mr. Fuller, a prominent citizen of Sussex county, residing near Stony Creek, and it was feared that an attempt might be made to lynch him.

JAPAN'S MONROE DOCTRINE.

Mikado Would Prevent Any Other Nation From Taking Philippines..

Japan has a "Monroe doctrine" in the East which would prevent any other nation from ever taking the Philippines in the event of this country giving the islands their independence, W. Morgan Shuster, former Minister to Persia, told the Senate Philippine Committee yesterday afternoon.

Shuster urged that the bill promising the Filipinos eventual indenpendence be passed, asserting it to be a moral duty. Asking about the danger of the islands getting into foreign complications if given their independence, Shuster declared Japan did not want the islands for climatic and economic reasons but she would permit no other nation to take them.

"Why not?" asked Senator Weeks.

"Because Japan has a Monroe doctrine of the east," said Shuster. "She would not permit them to be taken by any foreign power for the same reason that we would not permit the taking of Mexico by any foreign nation. It would be too close for comfort.

Shuster said the islands should not be given up without a treaty guaranteeing their future ndependence. He said he did not think this was imperatively necessary, but that it would be a safeguard in the event of any change in the attitude of Japan in the future.

The frank statement that if the islanders at the end of ten years should wish this government to carry out the promise proposed in the bill and give them their independence, despite the fact that it might be known in this country that they would align with Japan rather surprised the committee.

"Would you favor giving them the right to go to Japan despite the fact that we might be on the verge of hostilities with Japan at the time?" asked Senator Lippitt.

"Why, it would be a Godsend to have them go to Japan if we were about to enter a war with Japan," said Shuster. "We could not possibly defend them. I believe the army board would concede that with the excepton of two or three forts, which we might hold for six months, the Japanese could overrun the islands in two weeks. However, I think it would make for world peace for the United States to win no territory in the Philippines."

ENGLAND'S REPLY

Answer to American Note Said to be Pacific.

The reply of the British government to the note of protest of the Unitd States against some effects of the British policy of trying to "starve out" Germany and Austria upon American trade was received at the State Department yesterday. The note will be published simultaneously in the United States and Great Britain Monday morning.

This note is not Great Britain's complete answer, but is understood to be quite general in character, and will be followed by a second one, in which specific cases at issue between the two governments will be discussed in detail.

It is understood one reason for the reply being sent in two notes is that the British government was anxious to put itself on record as the well wisher of American interest. The note disclaims the slightest desire to harm American trade.





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